blessings fall fast upon your of that we are now upon the d of better times. The worst of the behind us prices are down to the setch -our money is on a level with tagnation, distrust and bankruptcy with the old year. And so, as the e lifted and are lifting all over our cloude that have shadowed our y as 1879 rolls on. We know rrow," nothing of the year, for us wisdom or fully. ters no sign; mlands of cedar and holly using no nessage divine, s. that with loyal ender vor to dell chmity clear, to mes it goyly may ever the on a happy New Year."

BOOK NOTICES.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE .- This work la ate as, and those who send five cents to Wick, Rochester, N. Y., for it will be inted. Instead of getting a cheap ing, as the price would seem to indicate, my will receive a very bandsome work of 100 pages, and perhaps 500 illustrationspot chesp, but elegant illustrations, on the very best of calandered paper, and as a setoff to the whole, an elegant Colored Plate, that we would judge coat twice the price of the book.

AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST .- The new volume of this standard publication opens with an excellent number for January-thoroughly illustrated and well filled with the best reading matter, treating on vital subjects relating to the farm, garden and household.

BABYLAND for January is beautifully illustrated, interesting and amusing, and augurs a pice series for the little folks for 1879.

The Baltimore Sun Almanac for 1879 and the Sun Calendar have both been recaired. The Almanae is much enlarged, and is a compendium of the most useful information, whilst the Calendar is a valuable one. We prize both, and always prize the Sun as a good, reliable paper - one of the best, and worthy of universal patrousge.

The Wheeling Register Almanae for 1879 is one of the handsomest publications of the kind we have seen, and embraces within its pages much valuable information for reference. We congratulate our contemporary upon this evidence of success, as it may ressonably be pronounced, and we feel constrained to say that it may justly feel proud of its production.

The Standion Spectator's "Annual Greeting" is a next and handsome publication, worthy of the excellent paper which serves it to its patrons.

SABBATH SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENTS .-The Christmas tree entertainment given by the Methodist Sabbath School on Christmas night, was a very enjoyable one. At an early hour the expectant children began to pour into the church, each one accompanied by at least two or three old folks. The tree, on Publishers, Editors and Authors; the a very beautiful one, bore oranges, apples and | Cause of Temperance and other Social Rehage bags of candies and nuts. After singing by the school the gifts, were distributed by the Superintendant, Mr. Rezin Shugatt, and his assistants. The tree was soon stripped, and then the Rev. Mr. Ferguson presented gifts to the various teachers from their scholars. We were pleased to see so many young men in attendance as scholars; it speaks wall for the community and the church.

" Our Christmas tree again Bo beautiful and bright, Our Caristmas tree again It blooms for us to-night."

So song the happy Children that gathered eround the tree in the Presbyterian Lecture Room on the evening after Christmas. The room had been decked with evergreen for the occasion, and many-colored Chinese lamps and waxen tapers added to the beauty of the scene. The tree shed its Christmas fruit very rapidly, and each child was made the happy possessor of a cornucopia of caudy, an orange, an apple, and well supplied with cake. Mr. A. W. Hawks, a teacher in the school, was the proud recipient of a pocket parlor organ, an instrument whose chief value was in its extreme age, and whose principal merit consisted in the fact that you could not, by any possible means, force any music out of it. The lecture room was crowded with spectators, and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very

The last hours of the old year found a very large and merry audience gathered together in Washington Hall, to enjoy the Christmas Tree of the Zion Episcopal Sabbath School. The tree was a very large and beautiful one, and was placed upon the stage, where all could get a good view of it. The distribution of candy and oranges was made by the Rector, Mr. Meade, after which the children turned homewards, their hearts full of happiness, their hands full of good things.

An entertainment was given to the children of the Kabletewn Sabbath School, on Friday night of Christmas week. A prolific Christmas Tree afforded gifts for the children, besides worthy remembrances for the Rev.

A. M. Cackley. The exercises of the evening were varied with singing, an address by the Rev. Mr. Cackley, etc. A statement was made a short time ago "that the Internal Revenue Department had ruled that retailers of Hostetter's Bitters should pay a liquor license. Commissioner Raum has since, after a careful investigation,

made a final ruling in the case, declaring "that they have been properly classed as Medicinal Bitters," and "may be sold as other medicinal articles."

for additional documentary favors.

FUNDING THE DEBT OF VIRGINIA. A proposition has been made for the funding of the debt of Virginia by the Funding Association of the United States, of which ex-Secretary McCalloch is president, which is said to be acceptable even to the readjusters. The boudholders have been invited to a conference with the representatives

of the State at Richmond next week. The New York Herald states that the plan is to fund these bonds into four per cont. bends, leaving out the interest on the tax receivable bonds, and for interest due on "pooler" bonds issuing a certificate equal to two per cent. interest. It proposes to guarantee the State against any abortive effort to fund by making a definite proposition to fund a given number of bonds if the desired legislation can be obtained. Bonds are to be dated July 1, 1879, and due and payable forty-five years after date, but redcemable after ten years. The interest is to be four per cent. per annum, and both principle and interest are to be exempt from tsxation. Coupons evidencing the interest on the new "fours" are to be made receivable after maturity for all taxes and debts due the State. It provides for a sinking fund to redeem this bond of one-half of one per cent. of the amount of the outstending debt, to be set aside by the State from general taxation .-The equity between the classes of bonds is to be settled by the bondholders themselves. The new "fours" when sold are to be applied only to the payment of the outstanding debt of the State.

LETTER FROM HARPER'S FERRY.

HARPER'S FERRY, Dec. 27, 1878. Dear Editor :- The Methodist Church in Bolivar was filled to overflowing to an entertainment on Christmas evening. It was gotten up for the children, but many grown persons participated, and the chief feature of the evening was music and dialogues. Will Baden and Mrs. Amelia Dutrow sang a beautiful duet. Messre. Wentzell, Fossett, Spangler and Baden's vocalism was much complimented and enjoyed. The tree was laden with many valuable gifts, and the children

wall supplied with candy.

The Lutheran Church was crowded to a similar entertainment on the evening of the 26th. The infant class sang some well selected pieces remarkably w li. Mr. Chas. Davies made a short address and read an amusing little poem. A humorous piece, called 'Proposing by Proxy," was so well seted, especially the part Mr. Sam. Williams took, as to be repeated. The trees were beautifully laden with presents, and the children treated to sacks of cardy. The music and dialogues were elegantly gotten up, and altogether it was an enjoyable affair, with nothing to offend the most fastidious. Mr. \_\_ The Point Pleasant Register says that Christ was not forgotten in mementees. OBSERVER.

Yours. Programme for the Week of Prayer - Monday, January 6th, 31 P. M. - Baptist Church-Thanksgiving for the Blessings of the past year, and prayor for their con-

Tuesday, January 7th, 31 P. M .- Pres-byterian Church -- Prayer for Church of Christ, its Ministers, its growth in Grace and its colorgement. Wednesday, January 8th, 31 P. M .-

Methodist Church-Christian Education, the Family, the Young, Colleges, Seminaries of Learning, Sabbath and other Schools, Christian Associations of Young Men, and of Young Women.

Thursday, January 9th, 31 P. M .- Episcopal Church - For Nations, Rulers and Peopie, for Peace and Religious Liberty on the

Friday, January 10th, 31 P. M - Presbyterian Church-The Press, for a Blessing

Saturday, January 11th. 31 P. M - Baptist Church .- Home and Foreign Missions, and the Conversion of the World.

COUNTY ITEMS .- From the Shepherdstown Register we copy the following items : The iron fencing for the enclosure of Elmwood Cometery has arrived.

Mr. Lorenzo Etchison has sold the farm containing 120 neres, known as the old Chapline estate, \$2 miles north of town, on the Potomac river, to Mr. Billmyer, for \$3,-000 cosh. Mr. Henry Salby has purchased the tract of land containing about 150 acres. lying on the road leading to Ecrabble, and two miles north of Shepherdstown, belonging to Mr. James H. Shepherd and Mrs. Eliza Williamson, for \$30 per acre.

NEWPORT, R. I. December 13 - Joshue Walker last night purchased a quantity of pork, and taking it home proceeded to salt it down. His wife soon after discovered that be had been trying to make brine with white sugar. She was seized with a fit of laughter, which continued for several minutes, when she suddenly expired. Mrs. Walker was only twenty years old, and had been but recently married.

JANUARY .- All inducements that can will be offered during this month at G. H. Hagley's. Boots of all kinds, styles and sizes an endiess variety of Hats and Caps; a splendid line of Gloves, very low; a fine assortment of Ladies' and Misses' Furs; also Underwear, Hosiery, Notions, &c. I have just received 6,000 feet of prime

Yellow-Pine Inch Plank, which I offer for sale in quantities to suit buyers. G. H. HAGLEY

TIME FOR KALLING PARTRIDGES OUT .-Mr. Editor :- Will you inform the public that the time for Killing Partridges expires by law January 1st, 1879.

V.M. FIROR, See'y Game Society.

The Supreme Court of Appeals concluded its session at Wheeling on the 21st ult., and will meet at Charleston to-morrow. Judge Green, of this place, President of the Court, spent the holidays at home, and will leave to-day for Charleston.

Miss Minnie Chambers, daughter of Capt. G. W. Chambers, and Mattie O. O'Donnell, daughter of Dr. J. S. O'Donnell, of Harper's Ferry, were home for the Christmas holidays from the Hagerstown Seminary.

The Carrier of the Spirit returns hearty thanks for the liberal reception given him by the generous patrons of this paper, on the occasion of the presentation of his handsome "Christmas Chimes."

The Legislature of Colorado, Indiana, Missouri, Illinois, Kansas and Nevada, which meet this month, each elect a U. S. We return thanks to Hon. H. G. Davis | Senator to take his rest on the 4th of March !

PEN, INK AND SCISSORS. - Congress re-assembles to-day.

-The West Virginia Legislature convenes to-morrow. - Winchester is organizing a new Build-

ing Association. - The death of Hon. Caleb Cushing, lo is 79th year, is announced.

- Harper's Weekly for last week contains six sketches of the great Lursy cave. - Congressman Douglass, of Virginia, and Williams, of Michigan, are dead. They were both Democrats.

- Hon. Alongo Garcelon, the democratic Governor of Maine, just elected, is the first democratic Governor that State has bad

- Col. Edward Wilkins, ex-collector of the port of Baltimore, died at his magnificent country seat in Kent county, Maryland, a - Dr. Wm. A. McCormick has been ap-

soluted secretary of the Winchester and Petomas Railroad Company, is place of the late Wm. L. Bent. - A bust of John Brown, by Miss Ed-

monia Lewis, the colored sculptor, is now on exhibition in New York. It has been made a present to a colored minister. - Mrs. A. C. Neal, wife of Rov. A. A. P. Neal, of the M. E. Church South, died sud-

denly a few days since, of neuralgia of the heart, at her residence in Baltimore. - Captain W. F. Dandridge, of Winchester, has been appointed agent of the Ohio and Mississippi railway express at Cincinnati, and general agent of the Marietta and Cin-

cinnati express.

- The partnership under the name of the Independent Printing Co., of Martinsburg, has expired by limitation, and the Independent passed into the hands of J. Nelson Wisnes and W. T. Logan. - Mr. J. W. Ferguson, editor and pro-

priotor of the Waynesboro (Va.) Tribune, has sold that paper to Dr. W. J. Jones, who was formerly its editor, and Mr. Everett Donaghe, a practical printer, of Staunton. - Wm. Lynch, son of Wm. B. Lynch, editor of the Leesburg Washingtonian, while

skating near Lexington, on Christmas Day, was drowned. He was endeavoring to rescue a companion who had broken through the ice. - President Healey, of the Pennsylvania silroad in Maryland, left Cumberland a few days ago for Moorefield, W. Va., for the purpose of consulting with residents of West

Virginia in relation to the proposed extension of the new railroad to Moorefield. - Gen. Thomas L. Rosser, a graduate of West Point, who rose from the position of lieutenant of artillery to that of lieutenant general in the Confederate service, has been appointed resident engineer in charge of the Northern Pacific railway, on which, soon

after the war, he sought and obtained em-

ployment as a day laborer.

four teams loaded with produce, strived at Staunton, Va , Wednesday week, from Pocanontes county, West Virginia. The drivers reported a snow storm in the Alleghanies of lmost unprecedented severity. West of Hightown, in the mountains, the party with thirteen men were two days cutting three miles through the drifts, which were eleven feet deep in many places and covered with a crust of ice and sleet so thick that a twomule team and loaded wagon could drive over it, but the six mule team would break through and go almost out of sight.

- A Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial states that when the army reorganization bill comes up for consideration there will be submitted an amendment calling for the organization of a national militia to take the place of the State mislitia in its present imperfect de pline. The proposition comes from the South, and is said to have been suggested by the cx-Confederate General Bradley T. Johnson .-The scheme is to provide for the organization and equipment of a militia force of one housand men from each congressional distriet, who shall be constituted into brigades, divisions and corps, according to States, the regimental organization to be made by the regiments, the brigade organization by the president from the regular army. Each man enlisted to serve five years and be subject to parade duty at the orders of the division, brigade, regimental and company commanders; the enlisted men to receive one dollar per day for time spent in drill and annual encomponents.

#### MARRIED.

At the Lutheran Church, Shepherdstown, December 24th, 1878, by Rev J. C. Bowman, of the Reformed Church, Mr. FILLMORE REY-NOLDS to Miss, JULIA HOFFMAN, daughter of the late John Peter Hoffman, decembed—all of Shopherdstown.

In the Reformed Church, Shepherdatown, on the let of Jenuary, 1879, by Rev. J. C. Bowman, Mr. GEORGE W. PORT, of New Mexico, to Miss EMMA M. WELSHANS, voungest daughter of Mr. Joseph Weishans, of Shepherdatown.

At the residence of the bride's father, year Hillshoungh Loydon recently.

Hillshorough, Loudoun county, Va., by Rev. W. H. Wilson, Miss EMMAJ, POTTS, daughter of E. H. Potts, Esq., and MATRIAS P. ZACHARIAS, of Frederick conny, Md. In Charlestown, on December 25th, 1878, by Rev. S. G. Ferguson, Mr. RICHARD E. AN-DREWS, of Washington county, Md., to Mrs. MARY V. CONNEY, of this town.

At the "Carrer House," in Charlestown, on Droember 31st, 1878, by Rev. 8. G. Ferguson, Mr. AS. V. SCHREINER, of Baltimore county, Md., o Mics ANNIE VALENTINE, of this place. In Martinsburg, December 18th, 1878, by Rev. Edwin Ames, Mr. JOHN WM. HAYS to Miss NANNIE S REED, both of Martinsburg.
On December 24th, 1878, by Rev. J. B. T. Roed, DAVID W. PIFER and Miss EDMONIA V.

DAVID W. PIFER and Miss EDMONIA V. MASSEY, both of Frederick county, Va. In the Methodist Church, Middletown, Frederick county, Va., on the 7th of November, 1878, by Rev. W. H. Wood, GEORGE M. LOCKE to Miss MARY F. HITE. On the evening of December 24th, 1878, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. W. G. Eggleston, WINFIELD SCOTT CORDELL and EMMA V. MAGALIS-both of Harrisonburg.

Va.

December 26th, 1878, at the residence of Mr.
Grabba, by Rev. O. Ellyson, JAS. W. ROBINSON. of Warren county, Va., and SARAH E.
STOKES, of Clarke county, Va.

## DIED.

Very suddenly, on December 12th, 1878, at the residence of Josiah L. Jackson, in Clarke county, Va., TOMMY HART, in the 78th year of his age. In Leesburg, Londoun county, Va., on Sunday night, December 22d, 1878, after a protracted illness and great suffering, Mrs. MARTHA ELLEN, the beloved wife of Benj. F. Head, in about the 42d year of her age.

In Charlestown, on Wednesday morning last, Dec. 18th, 1878, Mr. CHARLES WASHINGTON BROOKS, aged 60 years. Of diptheria, at Keyes' Switch in this county, on the 9th of December, 1878, JOSEPH FRANK-LIN, son of William and Mary McSherry, aged 2 years, 3 months, and 25 days.

At his home near Shepherdstown, on Monday evening. December, 16th, 1878, Mr. WILLIAM S. KEARNEY, aged 85 years and 13 days. At Kearneysville, on the 30th of December, 1878, of Diptheria, HARRY, eldest son of Mr. B. S. McIntive, aged about 12 years. In Shepherdstown, on Friday morning, 27th of December, 1878, Mr. GEURGE C. EAKLE, aged about 73 years. aged about 73 years.

At his residence, near Knott's Quarry, in this county, on the 14th of December, 1879, Mr. JAMES DIXON, aged about 72 years.

J UST received another supply of Gents' Under-shirts, very cheap and good, by New 29, 1818. B.S. DALGARN.

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January 7, 1979. COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of Jefferson County,

West Virginia : NICHOLAS MARMION and ] Samuel Watson, Plaintiffs,
Against
Against
SAMUEL M. CLIPP-(as an heir of Joshua Chipp, dec'd, and also as Administrator of said Joshua Chipp, Armstead Orem, William B. Grubb, Polly Clipp, widow of Joshua Clipp, and the other heirs of Joshua Clipp, viz: David, Thomas, John, James and Hiram Clipp, Elizabeth Grubb, wife of William B. Grubb, Pollip Clipp, Mary Ann Clipp and Slas Clipp, Defendants.

Extract from Decree of April 22d, 1872

Extract from Decree of April 28d, 1878. Commissioner of this Court, with instrucons: Fust-To settle the Administration account Samuel M. Chipp as Administrator of Jos: na Clipp, deceased, for such years as said Samuel M. Clipp may not have settled his accounts as

M. Clipp may not have settled his accounts as such Administrator.

Secondly—To ascertain what amount is now due to the Complainants in the Bill, on account of the Jadgment which has been assigned to them by said Armstead Orem.

Thirdly—To ascertain what Real Estate the said Joshua Chipp, deceased, died selsed of, which is hable for the payment of his debts, with the value and annual value of the same.

Fourthly—To ascertain what specific liens are Fourthly-To ascertain what specific liens are recorded against the whole or any portion of the same, with their order of pricity; and also the same, with their order of priority; and also to take proof of and audit any debts that were not reduced to Judgments during the life time of the decedent, and which may be properly proven before said Commissioner.

Fifthly-To ascertain and report any of the parties may require."

A Copy-Teste.

B. C. WASHINGTON,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I will execute the foregoing occree at my office in Charles-town, West Virginia, on the 7th day of Feb-ruary, 1879. CLEON MOORE. rnary, 1579. January 7, 1879 - 4t.

#### COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court of Sefferson County, West Virginia: JOHN M. COYLE, Assignee.

Plaintif,
Against
EDWARD TEARNEY, Committee Administrator of William McSherry, deceased, Ann Miggraw, Margaret Brannon, Alexander Murphy and Mary Murphy, Defendants.

Extract from Decree of April 24th, 1878. COTTABLE cause is referred to a Commissioner of I this Court, with instructions to convene the creditors of William McSherry, decrased, and and it such debts as are properly preven before him, to be charged upon the estate of said William McSherry, their amounts and priorities; also to ascertain and report the value and annual rental value of the Real Estate of which the said William McSherry died stezed or forceward, and to get the the Aministration of foreowned, and to settle the Administration ac-count of said E. Tearney, Adm'r of William

A Capy-Teste.
B C. WASHINGTON,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

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SAMUEL HOWELL,
Lanuary 7, 1878. Cashier.

# CARD OF THANKS.

HEREBY respectfully return sincere thanks to the Fire Dopartment and citizens of Charlestown for their efforts in subduing the fire on the 24th ultimo. C. H. McKNIGHT.

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Parlor and ooking STOVES

W E have just received the finest lot in the above line ever offered in Charlestown, and will sell them at lowest prices.

October 8, 1878.

DAVIS & HARRELL. ART GALLERY.

Court House Square, Charlestown, Jefferson County. THE undersigned has fitted up an Art Gallery over the Drug Store of Messre. Butler & Aisquith, and will prosecute the business of PHOTOGRAPHY

in all its departments. Perfect likenesses secured and Views taken and artistically fluished at modto rates. A call is respectfully solicited.
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JULIAN A. SMITH. Oct. 1, 1878. Wanted to Buy,

100 TONS OF BONES, FOR which the Cash will be paid at our Plaster Also, for salo, at a low price, for Cash,

50 TONS OF PLASTER, WEIRICK & WELLER. April 2, 1875. and Morphine habit cured.
The Original and sale absolute
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April 16, 1878-19.

CONDENSED MILK, Eagle Brand, just re-ceived and for sale low at July 20, 1879. 9 S. DALGARN'S. CUM OVER SHOES and another supply of Boots just received by November 5, 1874. S S. DALGARNE MISCELLANEOUS.

New Goods NIMROD TRUSSELL'S.

THE undersigned has just received a large and FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

to which be invites the attention of the public. His stock consists in part of DRESS GOODS.

Such as Cashmere, Brilliantine, Rousettos, Plaide, &c.; Blankets of all kinds, CLOTHING.

Boots and Shoes of endless variety-City made goods a Specialty; Hats and Caps, of the latest styles. Gents' Furnishing Goods Such as Shirts, Drawers, Collars, Neck-Ties, &c. Cassimere—a nice assortment; Fulled Linsey. Kersey, Canton Financi. Domestic and all Wool Financia from 15 cts. to 50 cts. per yard; also, Firemens' Best Financi.

NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS. Torchon, Italian and Valencennes Laces, Rib bone, Scaris, Cuffe and Collars, Hotsery-cheap and regular made: Kid and Thread Gloves, and other goods too numerous to mention.

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BUY WHERE YOU CAN

Get the (heapest. I NOW occupy the Building intely vacated by Mr. David Howell on Main street, while I will be pleased to see our old irranda and customers, and by selling good goods at

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SEED AND HAVANA CIGARS. of my own insulactors, for Five Cents; good Connecticut Said Cignie, Five for Five Cents. A fine lot of Chewing Tuba cout almost the wholefine lot of Chewing Total of at shoot the wholesale price such as the
Wade Hampion, 11 inch oing a 60 cts, lb.
Oscola Twist, only 70 inch
Old Bickery Plus Totalco. 75 inch
Emperor Brand, finest in market \$1.00 inch
Fine Old Smoking Totalco. 60 inch
Genuine Powhattan and other Pipes.
Goods at these prices can only be sold for Cash.
Cive mass call

J. H. HAINES, Agt, for M. A. H. Give me a call. October 16, 1577 Important Notice to Builders, HE undersigned is giving his sole attention to the

LUMBER BUSINESS, at Rondside, Rockingham County, Virginia, and mas facilities for filling orders of nov except and great variety. He commands forests of growing timber of the very best quairy, and mining expansive to meet the most extravagant demands of this section.

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Oranges, Lemons, Choice Confections Toys of All Kinds, &c. CAKES AND TAFFY

of my own make. Give me a call, and I will sell Dec. 10. 15 8. PHIL. T. ROHR. A. W. HAWES,

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Has just received a full assortment of Religious Books, and will emersive not based. As said at Publishers' prices, with the usual discount to Sahlasti Schools, No. Normand Statis.

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A full new line of FALL AND WINTER CALICOLS,

COTTONS, MILLINERY, NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS, &C.,

which will be sold at Lowest Cash Prices.

FASHIONAGLE MANTUA-MAKING. MRS MOLLIE U. GARNEY would hereby inform the ladies of the town and vicinage it at one is prepared to execute all branches of Fashionable brantus-Making, and to do all kieds of Sewing. Plaining done to order at short notice. Country Produce taken in ex-change for work, at market rates. Residence on Main st. three doors West of Boll's Pump. October 29, 1878-tf.

WANTED: GOOD BUTTER,

FRESH EGGS. DRESSED TURKEYS. CHICKENS AND DUCKS. The Highest Cash Price paid by

GEO. W. TAYLOR, November 5, 1878. MANTUA-MAKING.

THE undersigned having bad considerable ex-perience in Manton-Making, desires to an-nounce to the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity that she is prepared to do Sewing in the very best atyle at very moderate charges.

Residence in the house formerly occupied by Jos. H. Easterday on the corner of Congressed Water atreets. MRS. VIRGINIA SOUDERS. October 22, 1878.

SODA FOUNTAIN FOR SALE.

FOR Sale, a complete Sods Water Apparatus COR Sale, a complete Sods Water Apparatus
—three Draft Pipes, eight Syrup Receptacles, two 15-gallon Copper Fountsins, cost \$60
each—Soda Apparatus cost \$225. All in complete order. Will be sold for one-third its value
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Also have for sale a pair of 240 lb. Fairbanks
Scales. GEO. W. GREEN.

Mountain View Hotel.
Harper's Ferry, W. Va.

NEW PLASTER MILL. AVING our new Steam Plaster Mill in full op-eration, we offer a first rate lot of Finely Ground Plaster, at lower rates than has been sold here for many years. LIPPITT & CO.

I IGHT & MITCHELL have just received a large
I stock of Extracts (for the Handkerchief) New
Mown Hay, Jockey Club, Violet, Ess. Bouquet and
Musk; also have Lubins & Cowdray's Violet Powder for the Toilet.

LAVORING EXTRACTS.—Lemon, Vanilla,
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Sold by
LIGHT & MITCHELL
TURKISH Bath Towels, sold by
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TYGBACCO and Cigars, (best in town) sold by LIGHT & MITCHELL.

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We also have a stock of Paints, Oils, Turpentimes and Varnishes, which we offer very chap
for the CASH and caseonable on credit.

May 7, 1578.

LIGHT & MITCHELL.

MISCELLANEOUS. CHRISTMAS COMING!

Old Kris has Established his Kingdom at Gustav Brown's.

THE undersigned has made provision on a grand scale to meet the sessonable demands of the people. I have in store a greater variety—a stock of Christmas Goods

NOVELTIES IN TOYS, JEWELRY, CON-FECTIONERY AND FRUITS. The cry of every little shild can be changed into a chuckle; the yearnings of every youth can be appeased; the wants of every mother can be met; the fancy of every father can be

satisfied; something pleasing for every age and condition—no cless neglected, every pocketcondition—no closs neglected, every pocketbook regarded, every tasts consulted—it is
every body's Christmas.

An especially large supply of RAISINS and all
kinds of FRUITS.

EP Remember, my prices are lower than ever,
and all grods gold at a close margin over cost.
Dec. 10, 1875.

GUSTAV BROWN.

FAMILIES supplied with Christmas Cakes.
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1878-9. MORGANTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA.

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Text-books supplied to students at cost. The Text-books supplied to students at cost. The calendar of year arranged to suit convenience of teachers. Exponses for an entire school year need not exceed \$175. Fall term begins September 4th.

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July 16, 1878—tAp1.

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VV town and vicinity that she has now on hand, at her Ladies' Variety Store, East room of the Holl property, corner of Main and Water streets, a select stock of

which she is offering at the very lowest margin of profit. MANTUA - MAKING

West End Root and Shoe EMPCRIUM.

on Main street, opposite Mr. Hilbert's Coach Fac-DOMESTIC AND CITY MADE Boots, Shoes, Gatters, Stippers, &c.,

workines, at prices to suit the times, and perfect attisfaction guaranteed.

Our Mr. J. H. Morris, an experienced dealer, will be in charge. Give bins a call.

RODRICK MORRIS & CO.

September 10, 1878

SEWING MACHINES. THE undersigned has accepted the Agency for Jeffers in county for the

WHEELER & WILSON NEW FAMILY SEWING MACHINE, NO. 8. and proposes to furnish these excellent Machines to the people of Jefferson at the lowest possible rates for which there can be produced, Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines, as the cretastished prices, are by far the most economical and truly chesp, by reason of their superiority in all destraoif qualities. A sample Machines may be seen at all times at the store of Mr. Geo. W. Taylor, in Charlestown. Full particulars given on application to me.

TMIE undersigned I as just stocked his Lumher Yard, at the Charlestown Steam Saw Mills, with one of the largest lots of CHOICE YELLOW PINE LUMBER

ever offered to the citizens of Jefferson county. The supply embraces the best quality of Francisc Lamber and Plank, Plastering Latis. &c., all of when will be disposed of at the lawest market rates. WM, PRILLIPS.

MANTUA-MAKING. M 18° AMELIA E. HICKS would respectfully aumonous to the ladies of Chailestown and vicinity that she has located next door to the benesald hailding of Mrs. Washington, on Lawrence st., two doors South of Main, and is proposed to doel kinds of Plain and Fancy Sewing. Cutting and Drafting by System. Plaiting done to order. Feering satisfied of her shifty, from extended experience, to give perfect extisfaction, she respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage.

DITCHING AND EXCAVATING.

THE undersinged has recovered his strength, and again offers his services as a competent workman in the above line. Ditching and Excavating of sil kinds undertaken at moderate rates, and faithfully executed. Orders left at residence, on West Congress at, will receive prompt attention. WESLEY LOWRY. October 8, 1878-3m.

thoneering Business, and gives notice that he is prepared to Cry Sales at any point in the county. Terms reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed. JAMES W. CHAPMAN. Lectown, Nov. 26, 1875—3m. WINCHESTER SHOES.

JUST received a variety of WINCHESTER SHOES, for ladies and children. These goods are all guaranteed to give satisfaction. For sale by October 15, 1878.

W E offer a prime lot of inch Lumber. Also No. 1 White Pine Laths.

May 15, 187". LIPPITT & CO. DRESSED Buggy Shafts, Buggy Whips at all Prices, Horse Buckets, Curry Combs, Corn Hampers, Grain Shovels, for sale by Dec. 17, 1878. DUKE & GALLAHER.

An additional supply of Cook and Heating STOVES, just received, and for sale cheap by DUKE & GALLAHER.

STOVE PIPE, all sizes. Coal Shovels and Coa Hods for sale by DUKE & GALLAHER. November 5, 1878. LARD CANS, and all kinds of linware for cale by DUKE & GALLABER. JOSEPH H. EASTERDAY takes Botter. Eggs, Bacop, Lerd, &c., for Goods. Call and see

West Virginia University,

Rev. J. R. Thompson, A. M., President.

following Departments, viz: CLASSICAL. BUJENTIFIC. AGRICULTURAL.

Mrs. S. II. Armentrout WOULD respectfully inform the ladies of the

Dry Goods, Notions, MILLINERY, &C.

conducted in all its branches. The best of the Fashion Books kept for the inspection of cus-tomers. In addition, she has on hand and is con-stantly receiving all the LATE SIYLES, and is ready to do work in her line in the most ap-April 22, 1878.

THE undersigned are now opening, in the new-ly fixed up store room of Mr. Jas H. Rodrick,

to which we juvite the special attention of the public. Winchester Work sold at rates to compare fevorably with prices of city work. Home Made Work put up to order, by the very best workmen, at prices to suft the times, and perfect

Oct. 22, 1879 - tf. Costlostown, W. Vo. 200.000 Ft. of Yellow Pine LUMBER.

May 7, 1878 - tf.

TAKE NOTICE. TAX BILLS for 1877 must be paid at once, longer indulgence cannot be given. If not paid promptly, property will be taken and sold to satisfy the same as the law directs.

EUGENE BAKER,
August 20, 1878-tf. Sheriff.

AUCTIONEERING. THE undersigned is now engaged in the Anc-

LUMBER AND LATHS.

June 11, 1878. OUCOMBER PILKLES, by dozen or hundred.

( for sale by S. S. DALGARN. D For sale by S. S. DALGARN.

D Peaches and Apples, for sale by Dec. 10 1878.

S. S. DALGARN. HAVE just received a nice assortment of Zephyrs. Shetland and Germantown. Wools. Drc. 3, 1878.

N. TRUSSELL.

PRIME CHEESE, for sale by Nov. 5, 1978. 8 8. DALGARN.